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LB 700, 700A

SPEAKER LUEDTKE: The Chair recognizes Senator Marsh and we have just a couple of minutes left.

SENATOR MARSH: Mr. Speaker and members of the Legislature, my compliments to Senator Carsten and to the members of the committee who have worked so long and hard on this issue. We want to move it quickly on its way on General File.

SPEAKER LUEDTKE: The Chair recognizes Senator Barnett for closing.

SENATOR BARNETT: Mr. President, members of the Legislature, you heard a wonderful explanation by Senator Carsten backed up by Senator Kahle who has also been supportive and worked hard on this issue. I think this is one of the first steps to a problem that we have recognized in the Judiciary Committee for years and this seems to be the first step that we can take in trying to eliminate some of this problem. As far as the general fund money is concerned for the program, as Senator Carsten said, we don't know if the cost will be that great because stop and think about it, we could remove some of the young people from Kearney that are just status offenders and also from Geneva which should save us quite a bit of money, and with that, I would ask that you support us in the advancement of LB 700 to E & R Initial.

SPEAKER LUEDTKE: The question is the advance of LB 700 to E & R Initial. All those in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Have you all voted? Record the vote.

CLERK: 25 ayes, 0 nays on the advancement of the bill, Mr. President.

SPEAKER LUEDTKE: All right, LB 700 is advanced. We will next take up LB 632. We have a 700A? All right, LB 700A. Senator Barnett.

CLERK: Mr. President, LB 700A introduced by Senator Carsten. Title read.

SPEAKER LUEDTKE: Senator Carsten, I guess you had introduced.

SENATOR CARSTEN: I think the explanation has been good. I move for the advancement.

SPEAKER LUEDTKE: Motion to advance LB 700A. All those in favor vote aye, opposed nay. Have you all voted? Have you all voted? Record the vote.

CLERK: 25 ayes, 0 nays on the advancement, Mr. President.

SPEAKER LUEDTKE: LB 700A is advanced to E & R Initial. Next bill will be LB 632, Mr. Clerk. LB 632. Is Senator Burrows here? Senator Rasmussen.

SENATOR RASMUSSEN: Mr. President, members of the body, this is a bill that we brought up a couple of weeks ago and I went back through it and have had a detailed explanation put on your desks as to exactly what the changes were and I will go through them very briefly though.